Web Searches

Search the term “Vietnam War” in these 4 different “engines”. Make notes on differences.

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| Search Tool | Notes/comments |
| <http://www.google.com/> |  |
| <http://www.yahoo.com/> |  |
| <http://www.ipl.org/> |  |
| <http://www.answers.com/> |  |
| Another if you use one. |  |

Google Searching – Does it matter what you type in? Cut and paste the terms into google and record number of hits (can round off to nearest thousand)

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| TERM | # of “HITS” | Observations |
| Vietnam War |  |  |
| Vietnam AND War |  |  |
| Vietnam and War |  |  |
| Vietnam or War |  |  |
| Vietnam OR War |  |  |
| “Vietnam War” |  |  |
| vietnam war |  |  |
| “Vietnam War” -US |  |  |
| “Vietnam War” -United States |  |  |
| Images of “Vietnam War” |  |  |
| Videos of “Vietnam War” |  |  |
| “Vietnam War” Web last year |  |  |
| site:.**desmoinesregister**.com “Vietnam War” |  |  |
| site:.org “Vietnam War” |  |  |
| .ppt “Vietnam War” |  |  |
| .pdf “Vietnam War” |  |  |
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| site: .dmps.k12.ia.us “plagiarism” |  |  |
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